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**Abstract**

A mixt. of CH<sub>2</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>, CHCl<sub>3</sub> and CCl<sub>4</sub> was prep'd. by direct thermal chlorination of methane with Cl. Thus, the cycling gas at 20-40° contg. CH<sub>4</sub> and Cl was passed into a flow reactor contg. a core resistant to acid with a residence time of 3-10 sec at 430-90°. The start of the reaction was facilitated by 0.02-0.5% COCl<sub>2</sub> formed from CO in the cycling gas. Since the soot formation increased with increasing temp. it was better to increase the time of contact.

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